

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tsuneyuki KIKUCHI

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COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the election requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed August 12, 2008, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Species 1, claims 90-92, 95, 97-100, 103, 105-108, 111, and 113, for examination, without traverse.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, Applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extension fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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